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- 1. THE FORMER GENERAL CUSTOMS TRAINING COURSE FOR MIDMANAGERS (FCA) HAS BEEN INDEFINITELY DISCONTINUED.
- 2. CUSTOMS BELIEVES THAT IT WOULD BE FAR BETTER FOR MR. ABU BAKER TO ATTEND AN APPROPRIATE CCINC COURSE (WHICH IS SIMILAR TO OLD FCA COURSE) THAN TO ATTEMPT TO ARRANGE A ONE-ON-ONE PROGRAM FOR SIX WEEKS, A VERY EXPENSIVE AND UNSATISFACTORY METHOD IN TERMS OF COST-EFFECTIVENESS. UNFORTUNATELY NO CCINC COURSE IN WHICH MR. ABU BAKER COULD COMFORTABLY BE ACCOMODATED WILL TAKE PLACE UNTIL SPRING UNCLASSIFIED

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1977. FOR EXAMPLE, CCINC COURSE IN SEPTEMBER IS ALREADY

OVERSUBSCRIBED WITH 28 SPANISH SPEAKING CUSTOMS OFFICERS AND CUSTOMS WOULD NOT LIKE TO ATTEMPT TO PLACE MR. ABU BAKER IN IT.

3. CUSTOMS INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS DIVISION WILL KEEP ACTIVE MR. ABU BAKER'S NOMINATION AND WILL ADVISE EMBASSY AS SOON AS APPROPRIATE COURSE IS SCHEDULED. KISSINGER

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